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AND

HIS DESCENDANTS

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HENRY BROOKS, THE COLONIAL ANCESTOR

AUTHORITIES differ as to who is the first member of the large family bearing the name of BROOKS to come to America. Several writers state, with great positiveness, that the progenitor of the Brooks family on this side of the Atlantic was one Thomas Brooks who came in the ship "Susan and Ellen" in 1635 when about 18 years of age. Thomas Brooks is the ancestor of a very large family, among whom are many that became very notable.

"The founder of the Brooks family in America arrived in August 1699, in the Delaware (River)," says Frank Willing Leach. Mr. Leach goes on to state that this immigrant, John Brooks with his wife and six children, Jonathan, Elizabeth, George, Abigal, James and Matthew settled in Salem, N. J. John Brooks' lineage was traced as far back as 1535 to Yorkshire, England. Shortly after the arrival of this family, the father died and was buried in the old Friends' Burying Ground at Salem. A few years after the death of John Brooks, the eldest sons, James and Matthew went over to Pennsylvania and settled on land near the Delaware River which their father had purchased from William Penn. There are today a great many descendents of these two brothers in eastern Pennsylvania.

Extensive researches have been carried on to establish relationship among these two early founders of the Brooks family in America but to date there appears to be no relationship between Thomas Brooks and John Brooks or Henry Brooks, of New England.

It is my opinion, and this opinion is held by several others who have made a study of this subject, that the first Brooks to come to America was not Thomas nor John but Henry. Mackenzie, in his "Colonial Families of the United States" says the ancestor of the Brooks family was Henry Brooks who came to America in 1625 apparently from Scotland since the coat of arms indicated that he is of Scotch ancestry. A writer in the Boston and Eastern Mass. Genealogy (vol. 2, page 652) says, "Henry Brooks came from Scotland and landed in Boston in the year 1630." Unfortunately, neither the date of Henry's arrival nor the place whence he came can be verified as there appears to be no record of either. The first record of Henry Brooks is of March 14, 1638, made in Concord, Mass. and is the date when he was given the rights of a freeman. His next appearance on the colonial records is in Woburn, Mass. where in 1649 he appeared on the tax lists and on subsequent tax lists there until 1657.

We have abundant documentary proof that Henry Brooks was one of the first settlers of Concord. He lived there with his wife, whose name is unknown, four sons and two daughters until about 1648, when he moved to Woburn.

While in Woburn, his wife died. This was prior to 1651 for on March 27, of that year Henry Brooks married Susannah, the widow of Ezekial Richardson of that place. The Brooks home in Woburn was on a tract containing six parcels of land of 178 acres at a section known as "Horn Pond." This tract, with a frame farm house, was purchased from William Brackenburg of Charlestown, December 20, 1650. In later days, this house stood on what was known as South Street now Main Street and stood there until 1789 when it was torn down by Captain Nathaniel Brooks, a descendent.

Henry Brooks was not only a farmer but a clothier as well. During the years 1669, 1671 and 1672, he served his town as a selectman. There are no records of the date of his birth and our best clue to this date is given in a record of a suit which was instituted in December 1658 wherein he describes himself as being aged 66 years. This places the date of his birth 1591–1592.

We may be satisfied, in spite of faulty records, that Henry Brooks was one of those who left Great Britain in pursuit of religious freedom. The exact date of his arrival will perhaps always be conjecture and the place whence he embarked unknown but the story of Henry Brooks and his descendents will forever be linked with the great history story of America. He and his descendents are closely connected with the various phases of Amer-

ican history—its early New England settlements, the organization of new towns, churches and early colonial government. His children and grandchildren took active part in the Indian wars, especially King Philip's and the French and Indian. In the Revolution there fought many of his descendants. Some participated in the War of 1812, and they contributed their share in the development of the Nation through their agricultural pursuits, for most all of the descendents of Timothy were farmers. The first Western Reserve Bank had the assistance of two of his descendents in its founding. The Baptist Church of America has claimed many of Henry Brooks' descendents not only as members but as ministers.

The genealogy herein outlined is largely that of one of Henry Brooks' son, Timothy and although many interesting facts could be included of the other sons of Henry, this book will not permit the space.

FAMILY OF HENRY BROOKS

1. Henry Brooks, b. about 1591; d. April 12, 1683; m. (1) an unknown woman; m. (2) Susanna, widow of Ezekial Richardson, prior to March 27, 1651; m. (3) Annis Jasquith, July 12, 1682.

Ch. of Henry and his first wife:

2. John.
3. Isaac.
   Timothy.
   Sarah, b. ——? m. John Mousall, May 13, 1650.
   Hannah, b. ——? m. (1) Thomas Fox, Feb. 13, 1647–48; (2) Andrew Lester.
4. Joseph, b. Dec. 2, 1641, in Concord (nothing else is known).

Susanna, wife of Henry, was well known in Woburn, her familiar name being, "Goodwife Brooks." She seems to have been a very helpful member of the community as records speak of her as, "an ancient and skillful woman, famous for her attainments in medical science." She died on Sept. 15, 1681.

It will be noted that Henry married Annis, his third wife, at the age of 90.

2. John, (Henry), b. in Concord about the year 1623. On Nov. 1, 1649, he m. Eunice, dau. of Deacon John Mousall. (John Mousall was his brother-in-law as the deacon had married John's sister Sarah in 1650.) Eunice d. and John m. (2) Mary Cranston on Jan. 11, 1683. In 1690, John was a soldier in the

Sir William Phips' expedition into Canada. He returned the next year and d. leaving four sons and four dau.

Ch.:

John, b. Nov. 23, 1650; d. Nov. 22, 1653.

Sarah, b. Nov. 21, 1652; m. Ephraim Buck.

mar. Samuel Cate

* Eunice, b. Oct. 10, 1655; d. after 1732.

Joanna, b. March 22, 1659; m. David Roberts in 1678; d. Dec. 1, 1724.

John 2nd, b. March 1, 1664; m. Mrs. Mary (Champney) Richardson of Woburn on Dec. 25, 1685; d. 1691.

Ebenezer, b. Dec. 9, 1666; m. Martha Wilder.

Deborah, b. March 20, 1669; d. Feb. 12, 1703–04.

Jabez, b. July 17, 1673; m. Rachael Buck, Dec. 18, 1694; d. Jan. 30, 1746.

(Note: John, son of John (2), and his wife Mary had sons: John, Timothy, Isaac, Nathaniel.)

Ebenezer, son of John (2) had sons: John, Ebenezer, Jabez, Eliezer.

The writer can give information concerning the descendents of the foregoing families but the space in this book does not permit the recording of these facts herein.

3 Isaac, (Henry), b. in 1643. On Nov. 10, 1665, he m. Miriam Daniels. Isaac was a cavalryman in King Phillip's War during the years 1675–1676. In 1677, he was appointed Quarter-Master of the "Three County Troops." Died in Woburn on Sept. 8, 1688.

Ch.:

Isaac.

Henry.

Miriam.

TIMOTHY BROOKS, OF CONCORD

Timothy Brooks, son of Henry, was born in Concord, Mass. shortly after the arrival of his parents in America. He moved with his parents to Woburn about 1648–1649 where he married, Mary daughter of John Russell, Sr. on December 21, 1659.

About the year 1670, Timothy and Mary moved to Billerica with their two sons, Timothy Jr. and John. While living in Billerica, Mary gave birth to eight children—all girls. John Russell, the father-in-law of Timothy Brooks was a strong supporter of the Baptist Church at Billerica and it is doubtless due to this that Timothy and Mary likewise were interested in the tenents of this Church. It was this interest that prompted him, along with fifty-four others to petition the court of New Plymouth for the formation of the township of Swansea. This petition was made in 1667 for the purpose of founding a colony for a band of exiled Welsh Baptists who had come to Massachusetts from Swansea, South Wales in 1649. These Welsh Baptists were under the leadership of their pastor, Rev. John Myles. Pastor Myles' colony originally settled in Dorchester but moved to Rehoboth in 1663. Here they built one of the first Baptist Churches in America.

Rehoboth lies about six miles to the southeast of Swansea which was formed into a township by the Baptists. A church was soon erected here and the Reverend Myles was their pastor. The little colony grew and became quite prosperous until 1675 when Indian troubles began.

History tells us that the colonists in New England experienced but little trouble with the Indians while Chief Massasoit lived but after his death trouble began. His son, who called himself "King Philip," hated the whites and in 1675 he began warfare on

them, killing the people and burning their homes. This war started with an attack Pastor Myles' people as they were going home from church. During this attack, several of the Swansea people were murdered.

All of the towns east of the Connecticut River heard of King Philip's attack at Swansea and they immediately made preparations for safeguarding themselves from attack. In Billerica, by an order of the selectmen, "Timothy Brooks' is allowed for garrison and to entertain Michael Bacon's family and to have two garrisons of soldiers to defend ye mill and himself ye master of ye garrison." The mill referred to was one at the falls of the Shawskin River in the east part of Bedford which Timothy Brooks purchased in 1673, being a part of the Oakes Farm. This farm was purchased from George Farley.

While Timothy Brooks was living in Billerica, his wife died, this was on Sept. 15, 1680. Shortly after, Timothy moved to Swansea. Here he found that many of the former Swansea residents who had scattered during the Indian scare, had returned. Pastor Myles had returned from Boston in 1677 but there were some of his parishioners who never returned to Swansea. Eldad Kinsley, one of the seven founders of the Rehoboth church, and his wife Mehitabel, were among the residents of Swansea in the summer of 1679. In August of that year, Mr. Kinsley died. Mrs. Kinsley married Timothy Brooks in the fall of 1680 and in August 1681, she gave birth to a son, Josiah.

Timothy Brooks was one of the respected citizens of Swansea during his ten years of residence. In 1689, he was elected a representative and on May 20, 1690, he was commissioned a captain.

About the year 1687, a little colony of Baptists located along the river called by the Indians "The Cohanso." The Cohansey River settlement (as it was called by the white settlers) was near the old town of Greenwich which lies near the mouth of the Cohansey River, in Cumberland County, (then Salem county) New Jersey. A few miles up the river from Greenwich the white settlers took up land and built a little log church. Rev. Thomas Killingsworth of Salem was their pastor until his death in 1709.

During the summer of 1690, a band of Welsh Baptists (mostly Seventh-Day worshippers) from Swansea, Mass. came to the Cohansey Settlement. Among these were Timothy Brooks, Sr. Timothy Brooks, Jr., the Bowens, Barretts and Swinneys. The Bowens and the Brooks moved farther inland to the section of Roadstown. Here, on the road leading to the Bridge, (Bridgeton)

they bought farms and named their settlement, "Bowentown." The Barretts located on a run which is called to this day, "Barrett Run."

FAMILY OF TIMOTHY BROOKS

4. Timothy Brooks, (Henry), of Billerica and Swansea, Mass., b. in Concord, Mass. about ——? (mother's name, unknown); d. in Cohansey, N. J., 1711—(will proved March 10, 1711–12); m. Mary, dau. of John Russell, Dec. 2, 1659; Mehitabel, widow of Eldad Kinsley, dau. of Roger and Mary (Johnson) Mowry, in Swansea, August, 1681.

Ch. of Timothy and Mary:

i. Timothy, b. 1660; d. 1661.
5. ii. Timothy.
6. iii. John.
iv. Mary, b. 1670; d. 1670, in Billerica.
v. Mary, b. Dec. 15, 1670; d. Jan. 14, 1671.
vi. Mary, b. Dec. 10, 1671; d. ——?
vii. Hephzibah, b. Feb., 1673–74; m. Palatiah Mason, May 24, 1694.
viii. Anna, b. Jan. 23, 1675; d. ——?
ix. Lydia, b. Jan. 8, 1677; d. ——?
x. Rebecca, b. Oct. 5, 1679; m. Malatiah Martin, Nov. 6, 1696.
xi. Elizabeth, b. ——? m. Thomas Lewis, April 10, 1689.

The friends and neighbors of Timothy Brooks were Seventh Day Baptists and they worshipped in the homes of the members of that congregation at "Bowentown," under the leadership of Timothy Brooks, who was their pastor. We are told that "Rev" Timothy Brooks "was not eminent for parts or for learning, yet he was a successful preacher; meek in his carriage; of a sweet and loving temper and always open to conviction, and made the Welsh ministers labor to instruct him in the ways of the Lord more perfectly."

The Seventh Day congregation grew and remained a separate society until 1710 for its members would not lay aside their differences with their friends, the First Day Baptists at Shepherd's Mills. However, in 1710 Timothy Brooks and two of his daughters, as well as many of his society, united with the Cohansey Baptists (First Day) laying aside their differences as predestination, the singing of psalms, the laying on of hands and a few other minor details of doctrine. At the same time, due to the death of Pastor Killingworth, Mr. Brooks was asked to become the pastor of the Cohansey Church. He accepted and remained the pastor until his death in 1715, having won the love of both flocks. It is interesting to note that two of Timothy Brooks' daughters remained true to their Seventh Day doctrine and were, among others, organizers of the Seventh Day Baptist Church of Shiloh where a great many of their descendents still worship.

xii. Abigal, b. ——? m. Levi Preston, Oct. 16, 1695, and moved to New England Cross Roads, Salem Co., N. J. in 1709.

Ch. of Timothy and Mehitabel:

7. i. Josiah.

5. Timothy, (Timothy, Henry), b. Oct. 9, 1661, in Woburn, Mass.; m. Hannah Bowen, in Swansea, 1685; d. 1715, in Bowentown, N. J. (Will was proved Jan. 26, 1715–16.)

Ch.:

8. i. Timothy.
9. ii. Seth.
10. iii. Zebulon.
iv. Zermiah, b. ——? d. ——?
v. Patience, b. ——? d. ——? m. Caleb Ayres; Issue, 10 ch.
vi. Hannah, b. ——? d. ——? m. Mr. Smith; issue, unknown.
vii. Kesiah, b. ——? d. May, 1749; m. Joshua Ayres; issue, 4 ch.

6. John, (Timothy, Henry), b. Oct. 16, 1662 (in Woburn, Mass.; d. in 1713–1714 (Will dated April 9, 1713. Probated in Swansea, Dec. 20, 1774.)

(The writer has been unable to find any record of John's marriage or children. He appears to have remained in Swansea when his father moved to West Jersey, as there is no mention of John in any Jersey records which the writer has had access to.)

7. Josiah, (~~Timothy~~, Timothy, Henry), b. Aug. 26, 1681 in Swansea, Mass. He removed to West Jersey with his parents in 1690. Here he married Lucy and settled with his bride at New England Cross Roads, Cumberland Co., d. 1731–32 (intestate).

At Fairfield, now Fairton, in Cumberland Co., N. J. there was a settlement of New England and Long Island people as early as 1705. Most of the settlers were located at a section about two miles south east of the Fairton post office at a village which they termed, "New England Cross Roads." Here came Levi Preston with his wife, Abigal Brooks, the daughter of Timothy Sr. about the year 1709. It is quite probable that Josiah Brooks came to this settlement that same time for, in 1710 he was elected constable. He was township collector in 1718 and again in 1728–30, surveyor of the highways in 1718, 1728–30 and overseer of the roads in 1727. The lineage of Josiah is fairly well traced out down to the present time with the exception of the sons of Joel, his grandson, of whom the writer has been unable to trace.)

Ch.:

11. i. Henry.

ii. Josiah b. ——? m. Abigal; d. intestate 1749–50.

(It is very probable that there were children of Josiah above as well as other children of his father, Josiah. This family settled principally on the South Side of the Cohansey and there are several families of the early days who resided in this section but whose records are so incomplete that the writer can not state with positiveness their connection.)

DESCENDANTS IN NEW JERSEY

8. Timothy (Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. April 23, 1687, according to the Swansea Records; m. Mary. Will in Sec'y of State Office, N. J. (Bk. 3, p. 135), proved June 19, 1731, mentions his "wife Mary and son Timothy not yet 20 and his bro Zebulon."

Ch.:

12. i. Timothy.

9. Seth (Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. in Swansea Jan. 19, 1688, or else after the arrival of his parents in Cohansey. Went to Cape May as a young man and there m. Rachael Cresse. Was one of the organizers of the first Baptist Church in Cape May, in May, 1712. Returned to Cohansey to build the bridge across the river at Bridgetown (Bridgeton) about 1716, according to the history of L. Q. C. Elmer. Died in 1738.

Ch.:

13. i. Seth.

ii. Dorcas, date of birth and death unknown; m. David Padgett; issue unknown.

iii. Elizabeth, date of birth and death unknown; m. Wm. Dare; issue known.

iv. Hannah, date of birth and death unknown; m. Michael Mc Connell; issue unknown.

v. Naomi, date of birth and death unknown; m. Thos. Belcamp and moved to Virginia; issue unknown.

10. Zebulon (Timothy, Timothy, Henry), a yeoman living near Greenwich, N. J., date of birth unknown; m. Esther Wills of N. J., Bk. 6, p. 242, "Bequeaths unto son, John and dau. Mary, Joseph and unborn son, if any, and Zebulon." He died in 1744.

Ch.:

14. i. John, b. ——? d. 1749 (intestate) in Deerfield, N. J.
ii. Zebulon.
iii. Joseph. He was a surveyor of the highways on the South Side of the Cohansey in 1722. No other record.
iv. James (the unborn son mentioned in the will). He was born about 1744.
v. Mary (no record).

11. Henry (Josiah, Timothy, ~~Timothy,~~ Henry), date of birth unknown. He and his wife, Abigal, in Fairfield and in Deerfield, N. J. He died in 1749–50.

Ch.: (mentioned in will):

~~15.~~ i. Mehitable (no dates available).
15- ii. Henry.
iii. Lydia (no dates available).
iv. Joel* (no records of his available).

*Note:-See Appendix.

12. Timothy, (Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. about 1710; m. Hannah, dau. of John Sheppard; d. 1763–1764, intestate.

(In the inventory, Abigal is mentioned as the administratrix. It is quite probable that Abigal is Timothy's second and last wife, who died on Sept. 6, 1824, aged 94 years, 6 months and 12 days.)

Ch.:

16. i. John.
17. ii. Oliver.
18. iii. Jeremiah.
19. iv. Phoebe, b. Sept. 4, 1760; m. Moses Harris in 1799; d. Sept. 12, 1822. Ch.: (1) Timothy B.; (2) dau. who m. Mr. Dennison (and others unknown).

13. Seth (Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. about 1710; m. Eleanor; d. about 1792. (Will proved Nov. 19, 1792.) His will mentions ch.:

20. i. Seth.
ii. John, b. ——? m. Mary Jenkins, Dec. 15, 1778, and lived in Hopewell; had a dau. Rachael; d. in 1799.
21. iii. Alpheus.
22. iv. David.
v. Elizabeth, m. Mr. Hall.
vi. Temperance m. Joseph Sheppard in 1776.
vii. Eleanor m. Mr. Faulkner.

14. Zebulon (Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. date unknown; d. about 1783 (inventory dated Jan. 15, 1784); Bible records mentions his ch.:

23. i. Zebulon.
24. ii. David.
25. iii. Reuben.

15. Henry (Henry, Josiah, Timothy, Henry), b. in Jan. or Feb., 1739; m. Bathsheba Harris (1747–1814); d. Sept. 17, 1774. He lived on the farm also owned by his father at Jones' Island, near Cedarville, N. J.

Ch.:

26. i. Henry.
ii. Harris, b. May 17, 1773; never married; was a soldier in the War of 1812; d. Sept. 13, 1813.
27. iii. Josiah.

16. John (Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. ——? Was killed in the Revolutionary War.

17. Oliver (Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. in 1759, near Bowentown, N. J.; m. (1) Anne Wetherel, April 19, 1791; Oliver and Anne lived in Woodstown, Salem Co., in 1798; m. (2) Rachel Bacon, Sept. 30, 1807. In 1810, Oliver and Rachel went to Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio with his brother, Jeremiah. The Brooks Brothers, being quite prosperous, helped to found the first Western Reserve Bank of the U.S., which was chartered in 1811. Served in the Revolution. After the war, became a sea captain. Died, in Ohio, 1851.

Ch.:

28b. i. Oliver J.
ii. R. S. (possibly Richard). Possibly others.

18. Jeremiah (Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. in Bowentown, March 13, 1754; m. Dorcas Smith, Nov. 13, 1775. Jeremiah had a farm in Hopewell. Was a Freeholder of Cumberland County in 1801–1806. He removed to Warren Township, Trumbull Co., Ohio, in 1810, where he conducted a farm and a tannery with his brother, Oliver. Died in Warren, Ohio, Feb. 3, 1834.

Ch.:

i. Phoebe b. ——? m. Sidney Rigdon.

(Both Sidney and Phoebe Rigdon figured in the beginnings of Mormonism. Mr. Rigdon was a confederate of "Prophet"

Joseph Smith and it is said to have been Rigdon who furnished Smith with a copy of an unpublished manuscript written by Solomon Spaulding. The story contained in this manuscript is claimed by many persons to have been the "inspiration" of the book of Mormon. Mr. and Mrs. Rigdon left the Mormons during the "Mormon War" which took place at their settlement at Nauvoo, Ill. over the question of polygamy. Mr. and Mrs. Rigdon were among the many Mormons who differed with Joseph Smith who said that a "new revelation" permitted this practice. The Rigdons returned to Pittsburg and here Sidney served as pastor of the First Baptist Church, having renounced the Morman faith.)

28. ii. Richard Sibley.
29. iii. Jeremiah, Jr.
iv. Sarah, b. ——? m. John Sibley in Bridgeton, N. J., March 26, 1798; d. January 1838.
v. Mary, b. ——? m. Adamson Bentley of Warren, d. ——?

20. Seth, (Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry).

There are no available records of Seth[6] in the Sec'y of State Office nor in the County Court House. The writer's father had many papers belonging to Seth (6) which he destroyed prior to his death. There are no tombstone records in any of the graveyards where he was most likely to have been buried. The grandchildren of Seth (6) know of only two children:

30. i. Thomas.
31. ii. Enoch.

21. Alpheus (Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry).

The only available record of Alpheus (6) is the inventory dated 1781 in which his widow Martha is named. The will of his father, Seth gives us the names of two of his children: (m. Martha 1775).

32. i. James.
ii. Samuel. We know his wife was Phoebe. No other records.

22. David (Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). He m. Elizabeth Parker Dec. 11, 1778 and was probably the father of: (I can not verify this)

33. i. Ira.
ii. Hannah. Mentioned in will of Seth (5) m. before 1805 to Teakle Taylor of Weymouth (See Cumb. Co. Deeds Bk. 8, p. 362).
iii. Mary. Mentioned with Hannah. M. Reuben Knowles of Upper Tnp. Cape May. Same references.

23. Zebulon (Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). (Information from Bible Records in possession of Howard Brooks, Carll's Corner, N. J.) b. May 18, 1763; m. Dorcas. He died Oct. 5, 1819.

Ch.:

i. Mary, b. May 7, 1783–?
ii. Hannah, Mar. 4, 1795–?
34. iii. Uriah.

24. David (Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). I find no record of birth or death. I am told by his niece, that he had a son David, and this is verified by a Bible record.

35. i. David.

25. Reuben (Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). (Information, Bible Record in possession of Miss E. L. Brooks, Bridgeton, N. J.). Date of b. unknown. Wife, Tamson. D. Nov. 18, 1835.

Ch.:

i. Reuben, b. ——? d. July 15, 1844. No issue.
ii. Rebecca, b. ——? d. Mar. 22, 1842. M. Eli Bangs dau. Elizabeth.
iii. Phoebe, b. ——? d. Oct. 12, 1844; m. Mr. Van Meter.

26. Henry (Henry, Henry, Josiah, Timothy, Henry); (From records of Mrs. Robinson.) b. June 6, 1765; m. Amy Pierson; d. Oct. 9, 1829.

Ch.:

i. Bathsheba, 1786–1860, m. Patrick Conway. Issue known.
ii. Amy P., 1789–1855, m. Andrew Rocap. Issue known.
iii. Ruth, 1795–1872, m. Gilbert Harris. Issue known.

iv. Hannah, 1797–1864, m. Isaac Harris. Issue known.
v. Amariah, 1799–1799.
(36) vi. Henry.
vii. Anna P., m. David D. Connor.

27. Josiah, (Henry, Henry, Josiah, Timothy, Henry), b. May 14, 1770; m. Mary Reed, July 17, 1790; d. Aug. 6, 1849.

Ch.:

i. Mary.
ii. Lydia.
iii. Abigal, b. Feb. 16, 1797.
iv. Josiah, b. Dec. 12, 1803 (who can supply additional data?).
v. Sarah, b. 1794; m. Jonadab Sheppard; d. 1879.
vi. Lydia, b. 1799; (had a dau. who m. John Swing); d. 1882.
vii. Harriet.
viii. Abigal, b. Dec. 23, 1801.
ix. Bathsheba, b. 1806; d. 1809.
x. Jane, b. 1792; m. Henry Buck; d. 1843.

28. Richard S. (Jeremiah, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. 1788; m. Rachael B. Davis in 1810; d. 1858.

Ch.:

i. Sibley.
ii. Amarella, m. Mr. Dunlap.
iii. Sarah, m. (1) Mr. Seiferheld, (2) Mr. Bacon.
iv. Rachael Davis, m. Preston Shriver in 1841.
v. Nancy, m. Mr. McBrier.
vi. Margaret, single.
vii. William, m. Hadessa Means.
viii. Lydia, m. Lyman Potter.

28b. Oliver J., (Oliver, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy), b., 1795 in N. J.; m. (1) Althea Gilbert, (2) Mary Force; d. ——?

Ch.:

37. i. James G.
ii. Almon, b. ——? m. Mary A. Ramsey; ch.: dau. Laura.

29. Jeremiah, (Jeremiah, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. in Cumberland Co., N. J. on Feb. 24, 1796; m. Martha Clark Buchanan on Oct. 30, 1821 at Canonsburg, Pa.; d. in Pittsburgh on August 28, 1865.

Jeremiah had no taste for the occupation of his father, farming, but determined to get an education. He went to all of the schools in the region of his home and finally to Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa. After he graduated from this college, he borrowed money from his brother-in-law, Adamson Bentley and entered Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. He graduated and practiced medicine in Pittsburgh from 1830 to 1865 and was a well known and very successful physician and surgeon.

Ch.:

i. Julia Huntington, b. March 1822; m. Rev. Wm. S. Livingston.
ii. Mary Clarke, b. 1825; d. in infancy.
iii. Cassius Buchanan, b. 1827; d. in infancy.
iv. Eliza Buchanan, b. Sept. 29, 1829; m. Joseph F. Griggs; d. April 1, 1897.
v. Martha M., b. 1833; d. in infancy.
vi. Jane Frances, b. May 18, 1836; d. May 20, 1903; never married.
vii. Walter B., b. 1838, d. in infancy.
viii. Henry L., b. 1841; d. in infancy.
ix. Emma Clarke, b. 1842; m. David Sterrett who lives in Pittsburgh.

30. Thomas, (Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Bowentown on Sept. 24, 1762; m. Abigal Connor, Nov. 9, 1789 (b. Aug. 31, 1767; d. Aug. 19, 1841) d., Sept. 16, 1829 and buried in Roadstown cemetery.

Ch.:

38. i. Sheppard.
ii. Abraham, b. March 10, 1793; d. March 17, 1793.
iii. Hannah, b. April 10, 1794; d. Nov. 7, 1793.
iv. Sarah, b. April 19, 1796; m. Mr. Husted; d. Sept. 25, 1852.
v. Elizabeth, b. May 16, 1798; never married; d. 1887.
vi. Lydia, b. June 22, 1800; d. May 26, 1814.
vii. Rachael, b. Oct. 16, 1802; m. David Husted; d. April 5, 1843.
viii. Mary, b. Dec. 17, 1806; m. David Husted (the above in 1850); d. Nov. 29, 1878.
39. ix. Henry W. d.

31. Enoch, (Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. 1767. Married 3 times. He m. Yacomentine Elwell, Sept. 3, 1795. Enoch m. Wilhelmina David, March 19, 1804 by Rev. Henry Smalley. Wilhelmina d. Mar. 3, 1858, aged 83 years. Enoch and Wilhelmina lived in Hopewell Tnp., Cumberland County, N. J. near the farm of his brother, Thomas along the Roadstown Road. Enoch d. Feb. 3, 1824.

Ch.:

i. William.
40. ii. Enoch.
iii. Susan, m. David Lummis. Issue 5 ch.
iv. Jane, m. Almarine Woodruff. Issue 10 ch.
v. Dolly, m. Richard Hann, Oct. 21, 1818.
vi. Mary, m. Mr. Lupton.
vii. ? , m. Henry Buck.
viii. Abigal, m. Wm. Robinson.

32. James, (Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. July 27, 1774. Married Hannah, dau. of Furman and Rhoda (Lawrence) Mulford. (Furman Mulford was a private in 3rd Battalion, State Troops, Colonel Summers in the Revolutionary War, and was born in Salem, Feb. 5, 1756. He died May 6, 1827. During the Revolution, he lived at Mannington Hill, near Salem, N. J.) James and Hannah were m. Sept. 4, 1802 and lived at Roadstown. Both died of cholera on August 9, 1849 and are buried at Roadstown, N. J.

Ch.:

41. i. Alphaeus.
ii. Martha, b. 1804; m. Charles Shute.
iii. Mary, b. 1806; m. Mr. Gibbon.
42. iv. Samuel.
v. Sarah Ann, b. Sept. 14, 1812; m. Thos. Mulford, Nov. 1, 1831; d. Feb. 3, 1886.
43. vi. James, Jr.
44. vii. David.
45. viii. Lewis M.
ix. Hannah, b. 1820.

33. Ira (David, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), date of birth unknown; m. Rebecca and lived near Thomas and Enoch at Bowentown in 1796. He later married Esther Sayre in 1798.

Ch.:

i. Ira, m. Anna Maria West, Apr. 25, 1837.
ii. Ephraim (no records).
iii. Anna, m. Wm. Griner.
iv. Abigal, m. Azariah Harris.

34. Uriah (Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), (Bible Records), date of birth, unknown. m. Jane Joslin who died June 10, 1858. He lived in Deerfield and died May 29, 1862 and was buried in Deerfield Pres. Cemetery. Grave well marked.

Ch.:

i. Zebulon, b. June 9, 1814; d. ——?
53. ii. Uriah, b. Nov. 27, 1816; d. ——?
iii. Daniel, b. June 11, 1919; d. ——?
iv. Hannah, b. Dec. 26, 1822; m. John Kandle 1842.
v. Mary, b. Mar. 8, 1824; m. Wm. Garrison 1841.
vi. Jane, b. Oct. 13, 1826; d. ——?
vii. Alexandrew, Oct. 10, 1831; d. ——?
viii. Lydia, b. Oct. 7, 1832; d. ——?
ix. Amanda, b. Mar. 23, 1828; d. ——? m. Daniel Garrison 1847.

35. David (David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). (From Bible Records.) B. May 10, 1803; m. Phoebe Carll in Deerfield, May 20, 1826; d. in 1865.

Ch.:

46. i. Jonathan.
ii. Phoebe Ann, b. Jan. 7, 1830; m. John Stetzer, May 14, 1851.
47. iii. Enoch.
48. iv. Reuben.
v. Joseph, b. Oct. 12, 1839; m. Eliz. Woodruff, (dau. of Enos and Mary), Jan. 1858.
vi. Maria H., b. Dec. 22, 1841; m. Samuel Carter, Mar. 1861. Living.
vii. David, b. June 5, 1836; d. Oct. 19, 1845. No issue.
viii. David C., b. Aug. 14, 1845; d. ——? m. Anna Bilderback, 1871.
ix. Elizabeth A., b. Dec. 13, 1847; m. Elias P. Seeley, 1880.
x. Mary F., b. June 20, 1851; m. Mr. Richer in 1869.

36. Henry (Henry, Henry, Henry, Josiah, Timothy, Henry), b. May 1, 1791; m. Deborah Sheppard Dec. 20, 1810 by Rev. Ethan Osborn; d. Mar. 28, 1839.

Ch.:

i. Henry H., b. Feb. 5, 1814; date of death unknown. Single.
ii. Bathsheba b. Oct. 22, 1819; d. May 12, 1864; m. John Lancaster Dec. 31, 1840. He was a wealthy merchant in Philadelphia. Issue: dau. Bathsheba who married Dr. T. C. Wheaton and another who married Mr. Robinson. It is from these two women that so much was contributed of the branch of Josiah.
iii. Deborah, b. June 10, 1824; d. Apr. 16, 1855; m. D. M. Karcher.
iv. Josiah, b. Sept. 29, 1828; d. 1903. Lived in Idaho. Never married.
v. Sheppard, b. Aug. 22, 1826; d. Nov. 2, 1907.
vi. Geo. Washington, b. Sept. 19, 1830; d. Apr. 18, 1917.
vii. Amy P., b. Jan. 19, 1833; d. Jan. 3, 1908.

37. James G., (Oliver J., Oliver, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). Born in Warren, Ohio, on April 22, 1831. M. Marie Bennett in 1855.

Ch.:

i. Helen, m. J. P. Stephenson, Ottawa, Kansas.
ii. Mary, m. James Mc Cormick of Warren.

Marie Bennett Brooks d. in 1862 and in 1867 James m. (2) Caroline M. Pennock.

Ch.:

i. Alice.
ii. James D.

38. Sheppard (Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), born at Bowentown, Jan. 17, 1791; m. Hannah Keen, Jan. 8, 1813; d. Oct. 3, 1860.

Ch.:

i. Naomi b. ——? m. Robert Sayre.
ii. Sheppard Jr., b. ——? never married. Lived in Oklahoma.
iii. Charlotte, b. ——? m. Horace French.
iv. Lydia, b. ——? m. Amos French.

39. Henry W. (Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). Born on the "Homestead Farm" at Bowentown, N. J. on June 2, 1810; m. Rachael Sayre Gillman on Feb. 14, 1835; d. at Bowentown, Feb. 18, 1862.

Ch.:

49. i. Thomas Henry.
50. ii. William Gillman.
iii. Harriet S., b. June 27, 1840; m. Jacob D. Mulford, Jan. 17, 1880; d. June 10, 1924.
51. iv. David G.
v. Lettitia, b. Feb. 6, 1844; m. Martin Madden; d. July 18, 1899.
vi. Abigal, b. Dec. 6, 1846; never married; d. Dec. 16, 1920.
vii. Sarah M., b. Dec. 28, 1850; never married; d. in Denver, Feb. 9, 1897.
viii. Ellen R., b. Feb. 28, 1855; m. Daniel Joyce; d. Feb. 20, 1927.
ix. Levena A., b. March 26, 1857; m. Charles E. Youker; d. in Denver, Jan. 20, 1923.

40. Enoch, (Enoch, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Feb. 13, 1809 at Bowentown; m. Ellen Blew, Sept. 21, 1835 and died in Philadelphia Oct. 30, 1900.

Enoch followed the sea from boyhood. He commanded vessels for more than 50 years going to all parts of the world. During the war with Mexico, he commanded a transport which carried troops and provisions. In the Civil War he was in command of the ship "Hatteras" which was later captured and sunk by the South. Many years was spent in the Mediterranean trade. During his lifetime, he met with only one accident at sea. This was in 1842 when his vessel was sunk in a storm. After keeping himself afloat for nine hours, he was finally rescued and taken to Amsterdam.

Ch.:

i. Charles L., b. Apr. 3, 1837; d. Aug. 21, 1838.
ii. Emma, b. Sept. 30, 1839; m. George Porch; d. 1925.
iii. Harriet, b. March 7, 1842; m. Dr. Jacob Streets; living in Bridgeton.
52. iv. William.
v. Ellen, b. Sept. 14, 1849; living in Philadelphia.
vi. Sarah, b. Apr. 12, 1852; d. May 19, 1886.
vii. Ida, b. Feb. 8, 1856; m. Mr. Lovatt; living in Philadelphia.

41. Alpheus, (James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Oct. 13, 1803; m. (1) Mary Ludlam March 2, 1825; Mary d. June 9, 1829; d. July 29, 1864.

Ch.:

i. Hannah L., m. Isaac D. Woodruff.
ii. Rachael L., m. Charles Gruff.
iii. Mary, m. William Perry.
54. iv. Joseph L.
v. James L., b. March 27, 1839; m. (1) Phoebe Bradway; (2) Mary J. Pedrick; d. at Hopewell, Dec. 29, 1891. No issue.

Alpheus, m. (2) Mrs. Sarah McBride, Sept. 1, 1841; she d. Feb. 1896 aged 78 years.

Ch.:

i. Maria, b. March 3, 1843; never. married; d. Nov. 17, 1892.
ii. Anna, b. ——? m. Augustus Probasco.
iii. Edward.

42. Samuel M., (James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Oct. 1, 1809; m. Ketura Gillman, March 10, 1832; d. Jan. 23, 1890.

Ch.:

i. Martha, d. March 2, 1854, aged 21.
56. ii. Samuel Jr.
57. iii. David G.
iv. Amanda, b. May 1836; m. Mr. Gillman; d. April, 1914.
v. Daniel, b. May 31, 1839; m. at Roadstown, Rebecca Hires on Jan. 1, 1868; d. Sept. 11, 1925 in Bridgeton. Issue: Elsie, b. Sept. 1, 1875.
vi. Harriet, b. ——? m. Mr. Reeves.
vii. Artemia, b. Sept. 1842; m. Mr. Sheppard; d. Dec. 1920.
viii. Laura, b. July 1858; m. Mr. Cook; d. March 1903.

43. James, (James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Feb. 4, 1817; m. (1) Eliza Dickinson, Dec. 17, 1840; d. Nov. 23, 1902.

Ch.:

i. Henrietta, b. Sept. 29, 1841; m. George Snitcher of Salem; d. Feb. 2, 1924.

ii. Sarah K., b. Nov. 30, 1842; m. Edward Horner; d. Oct. 28, 1875.

58. iii. Furman.

iv. Caroline, b. March 21, 1847; m. Augustus Alford.

James, m. (2) Letitia Harmer, who d. April 23, 1902.

Ch.:

i. Harmer, b. May 29, 1859; m. Ellie Snodgrass; d. Apr. 25, 1922.

Ch.:

i. Clarence (dead).

ii. Hulbert (dead).

59. ii. Harry, b. ——? m. Lila Leach.

iii. Eliza, b. ——? m. Reuben Alford; d. Nov. 28, 1875.

44. David, (James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b., March 7, 1815; m. Sarah; m. Horner of Greenwich on Sept. 1, 1840; d. June 26, 1877 (buried at Roadstown). Shortly after their marriage, David and Sarah moved to Ohio.

Ch.:

i. Belle.

ii. Alphonzo, no issue.

45. Lewis M., (James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Sept. 6, 1822; m. Rachael B., dau. of George and Mary Wilson. (Rachel was b. Apr. 28, 1821; d. Jan. 30, 1856.) d. July 2, 1897.

Ch.:

i. Ann Judson, b. Feb. 17, 1844; m. John E. Ogden Dec. 4, 1867; d. Oct. 31, 1905.

ii. Mary Wilson, b. Dec. 30, 1845.

iii. Hannah Mulford, b. Feb. 21, 1848; not married; d. Feb. 7, 1867.

iv. George Wilson, b. Sept. 19, 1850; m. Naomi Moore 1877; dau. lives in Muncie, Ind.

Ch.: 1, Ernestine.

v. Phoebe Elia, b. Aug. 12, 1852; m. Theophilus Wescott Nov. 25, 1874.

vi. James M., b. Aug. 16, 1854; not married; d. Apr. 17, 1903, in England.

Lewis M. married (2) Harriet Buck Padgett (March 4, 1830—March 3, 1903).

Ch.:

i. Norris P., b. June 26, 1861; m. Lydia Coney Nov. 25, 1912.
   Ch.: 1, Rulon Dare, b. July 21, 1913.
ii. Eddie P., b. June 26, 1861; d. Dec. 26, 1863.
iii. Charles P., b. Oct. 20, 1863.
iv. Esther P., b. Feb. 21, 1865; m. Edward Woodruff; lives in Rosemont, Pa.
v. Leslie Lupton, b. August 12, 1867; m. ——?
   Ch.: 1, Howard.

46. Jonathan, (David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. near Woodruff, N. J., Oct. 17, 1827; m. Margaret Davis in 1850; d. at Shiloh.

Ch.:

60. i. Wilbert.
61. ii. Edward C.
62. iii. Winfield S.
iv. Emma, b. March 21, 1850; m. John Blizzard; June 7, 1874. Lives near Fairton, N. J.
63. v. Chester A.
vi. Eugene M., b. Nov. 16, 1873; single; living at Shiloh.

47. Enoch, (David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timoothy, Henry), b. March 5, 1832; m. Elizabeth S. Rice Mar. 29, 1854; d. at Bridgeton March 30, 1879.

Ch.:

i. Ella L., b. Jan. 8, 1857. (Miss Brooks living in Bridgeton has the family Bible which furnishes much information.)
ii. William A., b. Aug. 27, 1859; d. Mar. 29, 1914. Son: Paul.
iii. Matilda, b. Jan. 16, 1869; m. Mr. Horner. Living in Bridgeton.
iv. Lizzie, b. Dec. 7, 1873; m. Mr. Sharp. Living in Bridgeton.
v. Beulah, b. May 30, 1876; d. Oct. 1921.
vi. Gertrude, b. Oct. 8, 1871; Oct. 26, 1876.
vii. Lawrence P., b. Oct. 7, 1862; d. Feb. 1, 1874.
viii. Johanna D., b. Nov. 28, 1854; m. Mr. Henderson, living in Bridgeton.

48. Reuben, (David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Aug. 25, 1837; m. Irene Whitacer, dau. of Enos Woodruff, Apr. 4, 1866; d. 1882.

Ch.:

i. Jessie N., m. Chester Paulin.
ii. C. Lester, m. Hattie Hetzell.

49. Thomas, (Henry W., Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. in Bowentown, March 8, 1838; m. Abiah Lippencott, Jan. 1, 1860 in Bridgeton, N. J.; d. at Sellers Lake, Fla., July 5, 1888.

Ch.:

64. i. Almarine Judson.
ii. Lydia, b. 1863. d. an infant.
65. iii. William Henry.
iv. Rachael Armella, b. Feb. 17, 1869; m. Charles Edington, Aug. 20, 1886. Living in Florida.
v. Emma Porch, b. May 27, 1870; m. Henry Foster, Mar. 7, 1887. Living in Florida.
vi. Alice Normanda, b. July 16, 1873; m. Morgan Husted, Oct. 31, 1894. Living at Cedarville.
vii. Benjamin Ingerson, b. March 3, 1876; m. Helen Kelmere. Has dau. Eleanor.
viii. Mabel, b. March 12, 1878; d. June 1881.

50. William Gillman, (Henry W., Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. on the homestead farm at Bowentown, May 1, 1839; m. Sarah, dau. of Almarine Woodruff, April 20, 1865; d. in Deerfield, Oct. 15, 1915.

William G. was a merchant in Bridgeton, N. J. prior to engaging in the lumber and contracting business. About 1860, he engaged in glass manufacture in Bridgeton. In 1886, he went to Greeley, Colorado for his health and returned to Deerfield, N. J. in 1888. Was a member of the Board of Freeholders for several years while a resident of Bridgeton.

Ch.:

i. Henry W., b. April 5, 1867, in Bridgeton; d. Sept. 2, 1896, in Denver, Colo.
ii. Fannie, b. Feb. 18, 1871 in Bridgeton; d. Sept. 3, 1873.
66. iii. Robert P.

51. David, (Henry W., Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Bowentown, Feb. 11, 1842; m. (1) Catherine Nice at Bridgeton, April 9, 1868; d. at Greeley, Colo., Oct. 30, 1915; m. (2) Sarah E. Green of Greeley, Colo., Feb. 4, 1893.

Ch.:

67. i. William H.
ii. Bertha, b. Nov. 23, 1872; m. Ernest Heflebower; d. Jan. 25, 1895 in California. Ch.: Hazel, Richard, Ivan, Robert E.
iii. Bloomfield, b. May 20, 1877; m. Ida M. Dotts at Ft. Collins, Colo., Oct. 15, 1903. Lives in Denver; President of the Brooks' Tent and Awning Co. No issue.
iv. Etna, b. Oct. 26, 1880; m. W. Frank Kitchell, d. Jan. 23, 1901 in California. Ch.: Earl, Robert L., D. Brooks.

52. William, (Enoch, Enoch, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry). b. April 12, 1844; m. Martha B. Krider in 1869; d. March 1871.

Ch.:

i. Nellie, b. May 22, 1870; d. March 1871.
ii. William, b. Aug. 7, 1874; d. April 5, 1902.
iii. Emma, b. Sept. 30, 1876.

53. Uriah, (Uriah, Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Nov. 27, 1816; m. Mary Garton, Aug. 17, 1839; d. ——?

Ch.:

i. Margaret, b. July 6, 1840; m. Enoch Fox. Living near Bridgeton.
ii. Elmer, b. Oct. 4, 1841; m. Lydia Nichols. Living near Bridgeton. Ch.: Millard (single).
68. ii. Charles H.
iv. Jonathan G., b. July 2, 1848; m. Henrietta Bilderback. Living at Elmer, N. J. Ch.: none.
69. v. Edward S.
70. vi. Preston L.
71. vii. Howard F.

54. Joseph L. (Alpheus, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry); b. March 21, 1837; m. Isabel Tyler, March 3, 1859; d. ——?

Ch.:

i. Mary Ludlam, b. June 11, 1860.
ii. Eva Tyler, b. May 19, 1867.
iii. Joseph Warren, b. Feb. 1, 1864.

55. Edward, (Alpheus, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Sept. 30, 1848; m. Anna U. Corwin, Feb. 18, 1874; d. July 14, 1916. (Was Superintendent of the Baltimore Division of the P.R.R.)

Ch.:

i. Anna Judson, b. Nov. 27, 1874; m. Howard E. Bushwell. Issue 4 ch.
ii. Cora Smalley, b. Oct. 7, 1876.

56. Samuel, (Samuel, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Sept. 12, 1847 in Millville, N. J.; m. Sallie Parvin, Dec. 22, 1880 at Millville; d. March 18, 1915.

Ch.:

72. i. John Claypoole.

57. David G. (Samuel, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry); b. 1834; m. Margaret Elwell, Dec. 12, 1854; d. May 1913.

Ch.:

73. i. William E.
ii. Catherine, b. Oct. 1858, m. Mr. Loper.
iii. Martha, b. April 1860; m. Mr. Zimmerman.
74. iv. Erasmus K.

58. Furman, (James, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Dec. 9, 1844; m. Carrie Donham; d. Dec. 18, 1895.

59. Harry, (James, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. ——? m. Lila Leach.

Ch.:

i. William.
ii. Lettie.
iii. Merle.
iv. Furman.
v. Audley.

60. Wilbert, (Jonathan, David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. in Bridgeton on Dec. 6, 1853; m.

Elizabeth Nicholson, Dec. 30, 1884; d. Oct. 7, 1920.

Ch.:

i. Leslie Watson, b. Sept. 19, 1885; m. Jane S. Haller, Nov. 27, 1920. No children. Living in Jersey City.

ii. Margaret N.; b. Nov. 22, 1890.

61. Edward C., (Jonathan, David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Oct. 25, 1851; m. Ella V. Loper, March 10, 1880; d. March 17, 1917.

Ch.:

75. i. Richard S.

76. ii. Walter E.

iii. Alice M., b. July 19, 1899; d. Sept. 9, 1889.

62. Winfield, (Jonathan, David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. May 23, 1856; m. Anna Diament, Oct. 23, 1878; d. Dec. 26, 1917.

Ch.:

77. i. Theodore B.

63. Chester A., (Jonathan, David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Bridgeton, Aug. 11, 1861; m. Anna Shane, Dec. 18, 1895. Living at Lake Wilson, Minn.

Ch.:

i. Oneita, b. Jan. 30, 1898.

ii. Jazel, b. April 15, 1893.

iii. Helen, b. April 15, 1903; m. Francis Bennett, Oct. 8, 1921. Ch.: Russell b. Jan. 12, 1922.

64. Almarine, (Thomas, Henry, Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Dec. 12, 1861; m. Kate Hutchinson in 1884. Living in Palmyra, N. J.

Ch.:

i. Florence, b. Aug. 20, 1892. An instructor of Science in the schools of Philadelphia.

65. William, (Thomas, Henry, Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Jan. 22, 1865; m. Jessie Thomas, Oct. 4, 1891. Living in Burlington, N. J.

Ch.:

i. Leo, died age 2 years.

ii. Ethel, b. Mar. 30, 1896; m. Grant Sanders. Lives in Woodbury, N. J.

iii. Leona, b. May 2, 1899; m. Millard Linthecurn. Lives in Woodbury, N. J.
iv. Helen, b. July 5, 1904; m. Harry Urban.

66. Robert P., (William G., Henry, Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. August 8, 1887 at Greeley, Colo.; m. Ethel May, dau. of Arch S. Ware, at Deerfield, N. J., Jan. 1, 1914. Educated at New York University and at Columbia. Teaching since 1905. Now located in Paterson, N. J.

Ch.:

i. Jeanne Roberta, b. June 26, 1915, in Paterson.
ii. Harold Ware, b. August 5, 1917 in Paterson.
iii. Mildred, b. Nov. 22, 1923, in Paterson.

67. William H. (David, Henry, Thomas, Seth, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. in Colorado, Sept. 22, 1870; m. Edith Pearl Smith at Denver, Jan. 16, 1901. Living in Denver, Colorado.

Ch.:

i. Raleigh E., b. June 23, 1904; m. Virginia May Sery, July 31, 1926.

68. Charles H. (Uriah, Uriah, Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Centerton, N. J., July 18, 1844; m. Hannah Finley, Dec. 30, 1869; d. March 17, 1922 at Friendship, N. J.

Ch.:

i. Uriah, b. Dec. 29, 1877; d. Nov. 18, 1881.
ii. Susie H., b. May 4, 1889; d. Feb. 22, 1892.
iii. Mary Elizabeth, b. Sept. 16, 1870; d. Nov. 13, 1881.
iv. Sarah H., b. Feb. 2, 1873; m. Arthur Carmen Nov. 23, 1904. Living at Millville.
v. Leon A., b. Nov. 26, 1880; m. Eva Bivens Oct. 19, 1904.

Ch.:

i. Florence.
ii. Hannah.
iii. Arthur.

69. Edward S. (Uriah, Uriah, Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Nov. 14, 1851; m. Susan Hale; Living in Philadelphia.

Ch.:

i. Edward.

70. Preston L. (Uriah, Uriah, Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Friendship, Feb. 7, 1857; m. Elizabeth Cake, Dec. 3, 1879. Living at West Avenue, Bridgeton.

Ch.:

i. Linwood, b. June 8, 1882; m. Lillian Cooke; no issue.
ii. Rena, b. ——? m. Charles Sheppard.

71. Howard F. (Uriah, Uriah, Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Oct. 20, 1860; m. Ella Frazer. Living at Carll's Corner, near Bridgeton.

Ch.:

i. Reba Davis, b. June 6, 1915.
78. ii. Uriah S.
79. iii. Sidney F.

72. John C., (Samuel, Samuel, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Millville, N. J., Sept. 21, 1881; m. (1) May Dawson in Baltimore, Aug. 5, 1901.

Ch.:

i. Hilda, b. July 26, 1903 at Westport, Md.
ii. Edith C., b. July 12, 1909 in Baltimore; m. (2) Grace L. Simpson, Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 17, 1923.

Ch.: of John and Grace: i. Thomas Parvin, b. Nov. 24, 1923.

73. William E., (David, Samuel, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Greenwich, N. J., Dec. 25, 1856; m. (1) Ida R. Ayres of Shiloh, March 10, 1880 (Ida d. Aug. 16, 1908).

Ch.:

i. A. Courtland, b. June 9, 1881; d. Sept. 1909, not married.
ii. Erasmus E., b. April 17, 1883; d. April 11, 1900; not married.
80. iii. Davis S.
iv. Herbert L., b. Nov. 8, 1887; m. Abbie Ballard of Washington, D. C., Nov. 1925.

William m. (2) Ida Hall of Cedarville, N. J., April 12, 1918. Both are living at Roadstown.

74. Erasmus K., (David, Samuel, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Dec. 1861 or 1862; m. Susan; d. Feb. 1917.

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Ch.:
81. i. Howard.
ii. Charles, b. July 4, 1884.
iii. Margaret, b. March 2, 1900. Never married.

75. Richard S. (Edward C., Jonathan, David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Feb. 17, 1881 at Beebe Run, N. J.; m. S. Elizabeth Moore, June 18, 1897. Living on Pine St., Bridgeton.

Ch.:
i. Alice M., b. Nov. 23, 1898; m. Mr. Dillen on Nov. 26, 1897. Ch.: Emerald and Mildred.

76. Walter E. (Ed. C., Jonathan, David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Nov. 15, 1884, m. (1) Bertha Hawn, Sept. 3, 1903, who d. May 29, 1906, at Shiloh, N. J. Living in Bridgeton.

Ch.:
i. Carlton, b. June 7, 1904; d. Sept. 27, 1904.

Married (2) Edith A. Gibe, June 26, 1912.

77. Theodore, (Winfield S., Jonathan, David, David, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Nov. 11, 1903; m. Emma W. Spamer, Nov. 26, 1902. Living in Philadelphia.

Ch.:
i. Theodore, b. Nov. 11, 1903.
ii. Mabel C., b. Feb. 21, 1910.
iii. Eleanor, b. Mar. 6, 1914.

78. Uriah S. (Howard F., Uriah, Uriah, Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. Jan. 16, 1885; m. Myrtle Aker, Sept. 2, 1908 at Bridgeton. Is Credit Manager of Illinois Glass Co., Bridgeton, N. J.

Ch.:
i. Dorothy Ella, b. Aug. 9, 1910; d. Aug. 25, 1911.
ii. Reba Davis, b. June 6, 1915.

79. Sidney, (Howard F., Uriah, Uriah, Zebulon, Zebulon, Zebulon, Timothy, Timothy, Henry), b. at Carlls Corner, N. J., April 18, 1899; m. Eleanor D. Donley, Oct. 21, 1916.

Ch.: None.

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80. David S. (William E., David, Samuel, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy), b. May 12, 1885; m. Stella Hitchener of Bridgeton, June 24, 1911.

Ch.:

i. William Burton, b. in Washington, D. C., Sept. 13, 1917.
ii. Marvin Hitchner, b. in Washington, D. C., Jan. 7, 1925.

81. Howard, (Erasmus K., David, Samuel, James, Alpheus, Seth, Seth, Timothy, Timothy), b. at Millville, N. J., Oct. 9, 1885; m. Nellie C. Robinson.

Ch.:

i. Norman, b. April 1, 1909.
ii. Edgar, b. Oct. 5, 1911.
iii. William, b. June 29, 1914.
iv. Elmira, b. June 26, 1916.
v. Davis, b. Jan. 30, 1920.
vi. Howard J., b. Oct. 13, 1919; d. Nov. 13, 1919.
vii. John, b. April 7, 1923.

APPENDIX.

The following names of Brooks appear in the records of Cumberland and Salem counties, but the writer has been unable to connect them with those families contained in the body of this book. It is hoped that some person or persons may supply sufficient data concerning these members of the big family so that this family history may be more nearly complete.

Almarine Brooks, b. 1759. Wife Sarah, who died 1835. He d. Jan. 25, 1824. Was an Ensign in the Revolutionary War. Had son Clarence and dau. Kath. and Phebe.

Ann Brooks, m. Edward Bully, Salem Co., Dec. 3, 1736.

Ephraim Brooks, of Fairfield (wife was Sarah); d. 1770–1771.

David Brooks, m. Mary Sayre, July 20, 1808.

Davis Brooks (See page 2 of appendix for his line).

Joseph Brooks was a Surveyor of the Highways on the south side of the Cohansey (in Fairfield) 1722.

Jonathan Brooks (wife Mary Davis), d. 1791–1792. (Jonathan Brooks had sons: Wm. D. F. and Jonathan.)

Kitty Brooks witnessed a will of Jeremiah of Hopewell in 1807.

Mary Brooks m. Viser Husbans at Fairfield, March 6, 1798.

Mary Brooks, m. Jonathan Garrison at Bridgeton, July 2, 1801.

Mary Brooks born 1775, died Oct. 8, 1823 and is buried at Roadstown.

Phebe Brooks married Isaac Jenkins, April 4, 1780.

Phebe Brooks married Joseph Sheppard, May 1, 1766.

Reuben Brooks of Deerfield, d. 1754.

Thomas Brooks of Salem (See appendix).

Thomas Brooks of Dividing Creek (See appendix).

Thomas Brooks of Fairton, m. Hannah Whiticar. Mentioned Book B. Cumb. Co. 1806.

Thomas Brooks of Salem Co. "Made overseer of will of John Miller of Caeseria River."

Timothy Brooks of Cumb. Co. Served in Revolution in the Second Regiment, Colonial Troops.

Cartlay Brooks b about 1764 m. Abraham Merritt ? wife.

1. Davis Brooks (Whose son is he? Is he a son of Joel?), b. 1800; m. Susan Elwell; d. July 28, 1847.

Ch.:

i. Henry (2).
ii. Sarah, m. Aaron Husted.
iii. Mary, m. Thomas Platt.
iv. Maria, m. Chas. Boody.
v. Daniel, died in 1895.
vi. William.

2. Henry, (Davis), b. 1830; m. Martha Demaris; d. 1891.

Ch.:

i. Anna Martha, b. 1851; d. 1865; single.
ii. Lydia H., b. 1854; d. 1920; m. Jeremiah Marts.
iii. Susan E., b. 1857; d. 1923; m. Frank Mead.
iv. Henry O. D. Lives in Walworth, Wis.
v. Charles D., b. 1862. Lives in Vineland, N. J., m. Mary Liby in 1882.

Rev. Thomas Brooks, b. in Delaware Feb. 15, 1761; m. (1) Elizabeth or Lydia Hastings of Delaware, Aug. 30, 1783.

Ch.:

i. Susan, b. Nov. 13, 1784; d. Oct. 6, 1854. Never married.

In his early teens, Thomas enlisted in the Revolutionary War and harrassed the British who were raiding along the shores of the Delaware River. He was captured along with other sailors and taken to New York Harbor and there placed in the prison ship. He was kept in the hold without air and food until his hair fell out. Then he was given the choice of enlisting in the British Navy or of "walking the plank." He chose the latter. But instead of inflicting that punishment on him, the British took him to England and there incarcerated him in the Dartmouth prison there where he was kept until he was exchanged just prior to the end of the war. While in prison, we are told that he, with others, caught the dogs who came there to visit and killed and ate them in order to still their pangs of hunger. After he was released, he returned to America and took up preaching at West Creek, Baptist

Church (N. J.) and from West Creek, he went to Dividing Creek in 1816. He served as the pastor of the Baptist Church at that place until 1836.

In about the year 1790, he married Dorcas Rezo, his first wife having died. Miss Rezo was a lady of "unusual intelligence" and of French descent.

Ch. of Thomas and Dorcas:

i. Thomas Rezo.
ii. Levi, died young.
iii. John. He was drowned, while following the coasting trade, off the coast of Great Egg Harbor.
iv. Samuel. (See line below.)
v. Rezo. He went to Illinois in the 30's and there married.
vi. Maria, m. Elijah Pepper of Dividing Creek (had son Jacob).
vii. Sidneyella; m. William Moore. Went to Ohio. Descendents living near Piqua.
viii. Catherine. Never married.

Samuel, son of Rev. Thomas Brooks, b. ——? m. Lovania Williams. Lived in Heislerville, N. J. d. 1867.

Ch.:

i. Maria.
ii. Samuel Henry.
iii. Thomas R.
iv. Mary H.; m. Mr. Shropshire.

Samuel Henry, son of Samuel above, b. about 1836; d. about 1900.

Ch.:

i. Joseph Robinson; m. Fannie Hand of Cape May. Ch.: 2 sons, 1 dau.

Thomas Rezo, son of Samuel, grandson of Rev. Thomas, b. in Heislerville, 1838; d. Dec. 1916.

Ch.:

i. Clarence R., b. at Dennisville, April 1864. Living in Philadelphia. Ch.: Rezo, b. Oct. 1887.

Thomas E. Brooks of Salem County, N. J. (Whence came this family?) B. Dec. 16, 1820; m. Bathsheba Van Meter, Dec. 1, 1842; d. ——?

Ch.:

i. Benjamin D. (See line below.)
ii. Rebecca, b. Jan. 26, 1846; m. Mr. Robinson.
iii. Mary E., b. Sept. 7, 1848.

Benjamin D., son of Thomas E. Brooks, b. Dec. 29, 1843; m. Amanda E. Johnson, Dec. 24, 1868; d. Jan. 5, 1902.

Ch.:

i. Johnson.
ii. Thomas E.
iii. Michael.
iv. Laura.
v. Charles (died in infancy).
vi. Emma.
vii. Chester H. Lives at Newkirk's Station, N. J.
viii. Benjamin.
ix. Mary L., m. Mr. Du Bois.
x. Bertha, m. Mr. Hitchner.
xi. Alice, m. Mr. Johnson. Living at Yorktown, N. J.

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